ALBUQUERQUE-BERNALILLO COUNTY AIR QUALITY CONTROL BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION TO AMEND AIR QUALITY REGULATION 20.11 NMAC TO REQUIRE REVIEW AND CONSIDERATION OF CUMULATIVE IMPACTS

AQCB Petition No. 2014-1

ORDER DENYING HEARING

This matter comes before the Board on a petition filed January 27, 2014 by the Southwest Organizing Project to amend 20.11 NMAC by adopting a proposed Part 72, "Cumulative Effects." Under 20.11.82.18.C NMAC, the Board is required to determine at a public hearing occurring no later than 60 days after receipt of the petition whether or not to hold a public hearing on the proposed regulatory change.

Accordingly, the Board considered the petition at its regular meeting of March 12, 2014. The Board considered written and oral arguments in support of the petition from counsel for Southwest Organizing Project, written and oral arguments in opposition to the petition from counsel from the City of Albuquerque Environmental Health Department and the Association of Commerce and Industry, and written and oral comments in support and opposition from members of the public. After deliberation, the Board decided by a vote of 6-1 to not hold a public hearing on the proposed regulatory changes.

The request for a public hearing in this matter is therefore DENIED.

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Exhibit H